

ABSTRACT

A financial market transaction device is provided with a computer, including a monitor, and keyboard, the monitor includes a screen displaying a symbol for a tradable, a bid side and an offer side, the bid side including a list of bid montage rows, each bid montage row including a bid market participant, a bid price and a bid routing character, the offer side including a list of offer montage rows, each offer montage row including an offer market participant, an offer price and an offer routing character; routing character keys each corresponding with a member selected from the group consisting of bid routing characters and offer routing characters; and quantity keys associated with different numbers of units to be traded, such that each routing character key in conjunction with each quantity key define a transaction of a determined number of units of a determined tradable from a determined market participant at a determined price; and a method of use is provided with the steps of describing a tradable in a montage; showing in the montage various market participants for the tradable, prices per unit from each market participant, and routing characters in a matrix, each routing character associating with one market participant and one price; coordinating each routing character with a routing character key; providing quantity keys, each key associated with a predetermined quantity; and defining a transaction including the tradable, market participant, market participant's price per unit and the quantity via pressing a routing character key and a quantity key.